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No more to-day on the occasion of Hon. Thad. Stevens' remains lying in state in the rotunda of the Capitol, where they will lie in state this afternoon. Four colored and four white pall bearers carried the coffin, and one company of colored troops acted as an escort of honor, and now have the remains in charge of the Capitol, their arms, colors and guns being stacked in the rotunda. Throughout the afternoon a steady stream of people of all ages, each and conditions has been passing by the coffin, and concerning the crowd is constantly increasing. The colored people of the District are numerously represented. The doors will be lighted during the night, and the rotunda will be opened to view till to-morrow afternoon, when, after brief services, they will be taken in charge by an escort of honor, and taken to Lancaster. Deputations from the Senate, in the absence of the officers of the House, have had charge of the arrangements, and the duties of it to-day in such away respect to the memory of Mr. Stevens as to manifest the deep sense of the loss the country has sustained in the death of its statesman. Governor Geary and several of the political associates of the deceased have come from the Capital to the Capitol to-morrow.

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SEYMOUR SERENADED.

HE MAKES A SPEECH

And Says Nothing of Consequence.

UTICA, August 13.—The Conservative central uniform and colors of this city held a large and enthusiastic meeting this evening. It assembled at an early hour to serenade Governor Seymour at his headquarters, the Butterfield House. There was a vast assemblage in front of the hotel. After the music, Gov. Seymour was introduced by Gen. James McQuade. He was received with immense cheering, and spoke as follows:

GENTLEMEN OF UTICA CLUBS: I thank you for this mark of your good will. I know full well that it is not for the character of the services rendered by our soldiers in the late war, I owe these more than 70,000 commissions. It was my official duty to mark their upward progress in rank as they passed before me in the field. It was my sad duty to record the loss of life in many of those with whom I had the pleasure of intercourse in the Executive Chamber. I took your regiments as they were furnished to me with confidence that even in the hour of peril none of disgrace. It was my privilege to thank them in the name of the State when they returned with tattered banners and torn uniforms, and to see them welcomed by the people of this city, under Capt. Harkins, preceded by Gen. Rubin, Sergeant-at-Arms Brown, Senator Wellwood, Dr. Gray, Chaplain of the Senate, and a few personal friends of the deceased, and were followed by some forty or fifty citizens, principally colored persons. The coffin was carried by Messrs. Chalmers, Rosencrans and Sawyer, members of the House of Representatives, and by Lewis Wood, Jr., and Mr. Stevens' colored servants. Arriving at the Capitol, the corpse was borne between the lines of the Capitol police, who closed in after it, excluding the public. The colored troops formed on the east front, and the remains were placed in the rotunda, immediately in front of the grand statue of Mr. Lincoln, and just the steps leading to the eastern portico. Here the public was admitted to view the remains. Among those present were Senator Patterson, of Tennessee, Rev. Dr. Eaton and a delegation from the Lincoln Memorial Church, and others. The guard will be taken in charge by an escort of honor, and taken to Lancaster. Deputations from the Senate, in the absence of the officers of the House, have had charge of the arrangements, and the duties of it to-day in such away respect to the memory of Mr. Stevens as to manifest the deep sense of the loss the country has sustained in the death of its statesman. Governor Geary and several of the political associates of the deceased have come from the Capital to the Capitol to-morrow.

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ALLIANCE, OHIO.

Opening of Alliance College—Interesting Session.

[Special Dispatch to the Commercial.]

ALLIANCE, O., August 13, 1868.

The following of Alliance College to-day was made the occasion for a large assemblage of the friends of education from this part of the State. The following exercises were held in the College Hall, which is a beautiful room, capable of seating twelve hundred persons. There were about that number present to-day.

The Hon. J. P. Robinson, of Cleveland, was President of the day. The address was by the Hon. Joseph Perkins, formerly of Cleveland, now President of the College. It was listened to with great interest by the large assemblage, and is highly commended as a very able, scholarly effort, forgiving the highest and most liberal views as to the education of the rising generation. The exercises were interspersed by music from the Alliance band and choir, and everything passed off as pleasantly as could be wished for. The College property is worth one hundred thousand dollars, and is out in the form of gifts. President Lowell is assisted by Professor Barnes, of Indianapolis, and other educators of merit, and all promises well for the success of the new institution.

POLITICAL.

WASHINGTON.

HON. DE LAY, WIS., August 13.—The Democratic committee nominated C. A. Eldridge for congress.

IOWA.

UTICA, August 13.—The Democratic State Committee have appointed the State Convention for September 23, at Albany.

At a meeting of the chairmen of county committees, in the Democratic committee, showing the confidence in the success of the party in the coming election. Tonight Wm. Seymour will be serenaded, and a supper will be given.

The Grant and Colfax cause is gaining strength in this county. The Republican meeting of last night was a success. The Republicans have also organized a club, and will meet regularly every week. The Democrats have also organized a club, and will meet regularly every week.

BALTIMORE, Md., August 13.—Gen. F. Fe-ter was renominated by the Republicans of the Second district for Congress yesterday.

NORTH CAROLINA.

RALEIGH, August 13.—The Democratic State Convention assembled this morning, and was called to order by Hon. Thomas Bragg. James Davis, of Franklin, was chosen temporary Chairman, and Messrs. Gales and Eggleston Secretaries. Mr. Davis, on taking the chair, addressed the Convention in an appropriate speech. A committee was appointed upon permanent organization. In the absence of the committee Hon. Josiah Turner, Jr., was loudly called for, and responded in a short speech. The committee on permanent organization then made a report, recommending Solomon A. Ashe, of Wake county, as President, and a list of Vice Presidents, Secretaries, &c. Mr. Ashe, on taking the chair, addressed the Convention in a few appropriate remarks. A committee on resolutions was appointed, and the Convention then took a recess until 4 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Convention reassembled this afternoon, and the following resolutions were reported by the committee on resolutions, and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we endorse the platform and nominations of the National Democratic Convention, held in New York on the 4th July, 1868, and pledge the Democracy of North Carolina to the support of the same.

Resolved, That we endorse the action of the Democratic members of the General Assembly in the passage of the bill for the call of a convention of the people of North Carolina, and that we will support the nominees of the convention.

Resolved, That we recommend the Democratic party of the State to organize clubs in every county, township and district, and to hold meetings at least once a week from now until the election

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THE COMMERCIAL is the largest daily paper in the State, and, save daily, one-fourth more reading than any other paper in Pittsburgh. It is the only Pittsburgh paper that runs the telegraph through, gives full market reports, and all the news of the day.

In proof of the extensive circulation of the DAILY COMMERCIAL, we will state that the daily regularly reports to the Post Office Department, Shipping lists, Bank lists, and other papers of like character to the east and other cities, and that leading Boston commercial papers and advocates regularly reprint them with credit. There is within the Pittsburgh circle, hardly an Iron Factory, Oil Refinery, or leading manufactory of any kind that is not a subscriber to the COMMERCIAL, presumably, because its reports are the only full and reliable ones of the Pittsburgh markets.

National Union Republican Ticket.

FOR PRESIDENT,

ULYSSES S. GRANT.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT,

SCHUYLER COLFAX.

FOR AUDITOR GENERAL OF PENNA.,

JOHN F. HARTRANFT.

FOR SURVEYOR GENERAL OF PENNA.,

JACOB M. CAMPBELL.

CONGRESS—24TH DISTRICT.

JAMES G. HAGUE.

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS,
at Large.

G. Mercur Cooper, of Philadelphia.
Thos. M. Marshall, of Pittsburgh.

District.	
1. W. H. Larkin,	16. Samuel Evans,
2. W. A. Peters,	17. Jas. S. Wagoner,
3. Robert Widdy,	18. Chas. B. Miller,
4. G. W. Hill,	19. John Stewart,
5. Wharton P. Heald,	20. George W. Rider,
6. E. B. Bringhurst,	21. G. G. Dimmick,
7. Fred'k. Boehm,	22. James Sill,
8. Isaac Robert,	23. C. C. Gibbons,
9. Morris Hamsher,	24. J. K. Ewing,
10. Thos. M. Read,	25. Jas. Todd,
11. Wm. Davis,	26. W. W. Crawford,
12. W. W. Ketchum,	27. J. B. Dunn.

COUNTY TICKET.

SENATE.—JAMES S. NEGLEY.

ASSEMBLY.—GEORGE WILSON, WILLIS A. HUMPHREYS, VINCENT WILSON, JAMES TAYLOR, SAMUEL ERB, GEORGE F. MORGAN.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.—ALFRED L. PEARSON.

ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY.—E. S. BLACK.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.—HENRY LAMBERT.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.—JONATHAN MILLER.

COUNTY SURVEYOR.—S. S. MCCLURE.

DIRECTOR OF POOR.—E. G. MURRAY.

In spite of himself the people square Grant wherever he goes. It is understood that at several points on his route from Galena to Washington there are setting a trap for him. He will take Long Branch on his way.

We are glad to hear that Republicans in the rural districts, who have been too much occupied with their agricultural duties to give much attention to politics, are very generally going to work. The first step for a neighborhood should be to organize a Grant Club; next communicate with the County or State Committee, or both. The object to be kept steadily in view is the attendance of every Republican voter at the polls in October.

We continue to receive the most gratifying assurances of good feeling on the part of the British Government towards the United States. Mr. Dennison, in a recent speech, expressed himself as follows:

> [illegible] the most cordial relations between the two countries, and I am sure that the feeling of the British Government and people is in accordance with this sentiment. [illegible] I am sure that the British Government and people will be glad to see the United States prosperous and happy, and that they will be glad to see the United States powerful, because they know that a powerful United States is a security for the peace of the world.

Time is at least one fellow who will not sufficiently whipped. We refer to *Arkansas Free*. In a recent speech in Massachusetts he inculcated the duty by young men to swear not to permit Northern men to reside in Ohio to vote above. In the Memphis *Appeal* of July 30, of which he is the editor, he appeals to his rebel compatriots as follows: "Go on, boys; swear to murder Northern Hessians! Arm yourselves and organize, and be ready to respond promptly when called on, and fight bravely even if you get killed." It is evident that the job of whipping that fellow was botched, and should be done over.

In the Charleston *Courier* of July 25th, was published a report of a speech made by Wade Hampton two days before, from which we quote the following:

> "He then alluded to the fact of Northern and other capitalists coming to the South, and said that the [illegible] of the country. It [illegible] to [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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THE CITY OF QUEEN.

Something Relating to one of the Highest Cities in the World.

Correspondence N. Y. Post.

At the foot of volcanic Popocatepetl, only five leagues' travel from the smoking crater, lies "the city above the clouds," the naval of the world," "magnificent Quito," on the north in the plain of Interandes, the battle-field where General Flores routed the army of Juan, and the scene two centuries later of the achievements of La Condamine, which made it the classic ground of astronomy. On the southern edge of the city rises Panecillo overlooking one of Mount Solay by its symmetrical form, and, viewed along the beautiful and well-watered plain of Turucamba, on the east from the Rio Machangara, and just beyond it round the Pampan hills, lieting the Chillo valley, while the view on gone only to be bounded by towering peaks of Pintocha. Encircled in this enchanted spot, the traveler approaching by the mountainous road sees only a part of it, and is disappointed. And even when standing on Panecillo, with the entire city spread out before him, he is not wholly satisfied. Broad leagues, smoky, dreary, and isolated from the rest of the world by impassable walls and gigantic fortifications, quite appears to be of the common character of ancient cities, whether as ruins in the mountains of middle Europe that a chimney rises above the red tiled roofs telling of homely hearths beneath. No church gives to the air there an imposing instead of spacious, and jingling church bells in place of rattling carriages. The morning are done not look for a railroad or a telegraph, for even the highways, such as they are, seem deserted, and are the music and excitement of modern life is absent. But in an hour, passing the ruined round "the finest in their range," the traveler comes to a different scene. Within the little Washington, reminds the page of Paris, the theatres, as here found in the city, the fashionable streets of the capital. Even the costumes of the people, the dialect of the country, the manner of living, and the dress of the ladies, are those of Spanish America. Very different from the Indians and the crowds from the east and west of the Andes. The same has a more civilized and cultivated appearance. The ladies have a more delicate and refined look. They are more graceful and elegant in their walk. In the theatre, the concert-room or in the church, they are more richly dressed, and the manners of society are more polished. The conversation is more intelligent, and the people seem to have more taste for literature and science. The gentlemen are more courteous and polite to strangers, and the ladies more modest and retiring. The streets are more regularly laid out, and the houses are more substantial and handsome. The churches are more numerous, and more splendid. The climate is more delightful, and the country around more beautiful. The people are more industrious, and more prosperous. The government is more stable, and more liberal. The laws are more just, and more equally administered. The taxes are lighter, and more equally distributed. The army is smaller, and more efficient. The navy is smaller, and more powerful. The commerce is greater, and more extensive. The manufactures are more numerous, and more perfect. The agriculture is more productive, and more scientific. The education is more general, and more thorough. The literature is more extensive, and more elevated. The science is more advanced, and more practical. The art is more refined, and more beautiful. The religion is more pure, and more spiritual. The morality is more strict, and more universal. The happiness is greater, and more widely diffused. The prosperity is more solid, and more permanent. The future is more promising, and more hopeful. The present is more satisfactory, and more enjoyable. The past is more glorious, and more memorable. The world is more civilized, and more progressive. The age is more enlightened, and more liberal. The nation is more united, and more powerful. The people are more free, and more happy. The government is more just, and more wise. The laws are more equal, and more humane. The institutions are more perfect, and more beneficent. The civilization is more advanced, and more universal. The progress is more rapid, and more steady. The improvement is more general, and more lasting. The development is more complete, and more harmonious. The culture is more refined, and more elevated. The taste is more pure, and more exquisite. The manners are more polished, and more courteous. The morals are more pure, and more elevated. The religion is more spiritual, and more universal. The hope is more bright, and more cheering. The faith is more firm, and more unwavering. The love is more warm, and more universal. The charity is more abundant, and more diffused. The peace is more profound, and more lasting. The joy is more pure, and more complete. 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ASSESSMENT FOR SEWERS.

Regular Meeting.—Resignation of Commissioner and Park Commissioner—Special Election for Councilman—Fire Apparatus and Horses—The Gas Stockdale Gas Company—The Second Ward Bonds—Proposed Appointment of a Weigh Master—Proposed Sale of an Old Horse Shed—The Diamond Valley Railway—Pipes for Cancelled Contracts—Sewer Appropriations—Sewers, Gas Lamps, Water Pipes, etc., etc., etc.

A regular meeting of Allegheny Councils was held on Thursday evening. August 13th, 1868.

SELECT COUNCIL.

JOHN S. WILSON, ... President.
R. W. PERRY, ... Clerk.

The CLERK called the roll, when the following members answered to their names: Messrs. Bell, Brown, Caldwell, English, Faulkner, Gamp, Gemmell, Hall, Hite, Kuhn, Mattern, Myers, Patterson, S. C., Patterson, A., Phillips, Rohrer, Rollins, Wilson and President Wilson.

Mr. HALL presented a petition for the grading and paving of Main street, between Spruce and the terminus of Smith's Ferry road, in the Eighth ward. Referred to the Street Committee. Not reached in Common Council.

Mr. J. C. PATTERSON, a petition for the grading and paving of Fulton street, from Main to the Pittsburgh line. Not reached in Common Council.

Mr. PATTERSON, a petition for the improvement of Main street. Referred to the Street Committee. Not reached in Common Council.

Mr. BROWN, a petition for the extension, grading and paving and water facilities on Beech street. Referred to the Street Committee. Not reached in Common Council concurred, provided that the Water Committee is included in the reference.

Mr. A. PATTERSON, a petition for improvement of Ann street. Referred to the Street Committee. Common Council concurred.

Mr. BROWN, a petition for the opening of Anderson street. Referred to the Street Committee. Common Council concurred.

Mr. RIDDLE presented a communication from the Chief Engineer, asking for authority to purchase a horse for the Diamond Valley Railroad Company, and found there had been laid in sufficiency with the grade of the streets traversed. Report accepted.

Mr. BROWN presented the report of the Water Committee, as follows:

Your Committee on Water duly appointed to examine the water on Beech Pond and Spring Hill, and to report whether the same could be used for the supply of the city, would report as follows: That they have examined the water on Beech Pond, and find the same to be of good quality, and sufficient in quantity for the supply of the city, and that the same can be brought to the city by the construction of a reservoir on Spring Hill, and the laying of pipe on New Brighton road, Beaver road, Fifth street, Allegheny, Federal street, Allegheny, Ohio street, Allegheny, Sandusky street, Allegheny, Cedar avenue, Allegheny, Irwin street, Allegheny, Western avenue, Allegheny, Fulton street, Allegheny, Main street, Allegheny, Spring Hill, Beech Pond, and Spring Hill, Beech Pond, and Spring Hill, Beech Pond, and